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1. PRINCE FAHD'S PRIVATE SECRETARY, MAHMOUD MALHAS, HAS JUST CALLED FROM TA'IF TO SAY THAT PRINCE FAHD DOES NOT RPT NOT OBJECT AFTERALL TO WORKING GROUPS' COMING TO SAUDI ARABIA IN JULY.

2. WE ARE URGENTLY ATTEMPTING TO GET IN TOUCH FOR THE SECOND TIME TODAY WITH MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCIAL AFFAIRS AND NATIONAL ECONOMY, MUHAMMAD ABA AL-KHAYL, AND HOPE TO BE ABLE TO GET HIS APPROVAL FOR WORKING GROUP SCHEDULE PROPOSED STATE 138124 (I.E., INDUSTRIALIZATION JUNE 21-23, MANPOWER JULY 24-25, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY JULY 27-29, AGRICULTURE JULY 30-AUGUST 1). AT MINIMUM WE CONFIDENT WE CAN ARRANGE FOR MEETING OF INDUSTRIALIZATION WORKING GROUP.

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3. IT NOW APPEARS THAT SAUDIS ARE PRIMARILY CONCERNED THAT WORKING GROUP ACTIVITIES NOT LINKED TO CLOSELY WITH SECRETARY SIMON'S VISIT BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT READY FOR THE KIND OF AGREEMENT AND PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THEY EXPECT TO FOLLOW THE TREASURY SECRETARY'S VISIT IN OCTOBER.

4. AMBASSADOR AKINS WILL BE RETURNING TO SAUDI ARABIA THIS EVENING. HE HAS AN APPOINTMENT TO LUNCH WITH MINISTER OF PETROLEUM, YAMANI, IN TA'IF TOMORROW, JULY 8. WE HAVE ALSO REQUESTED APPOINTMENT WITH PRINCE FAHD.

5. IN VIEW LATEST INFORMATION BELIEVE THAT WORKING GROUPS MIGHT STILL PLAN ON ARRIVING SAUDI ARABIA PER SCHEDULE REF A.

6. FAHD'S LETTER TO THE AMBASSADOR SEEMS HAVE BEEN DRAFTED WITHOUT COORDINATION WITHIN SAG AND THERE IS CONFUSION ABOUT WHAT FAHD REALLY MEANT TO SAY. WE HOPE HAVE THIS AND OTHER MATTERS SORTED OUT BY COB WASHINGTON TIME MONDAY JULY 8.

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